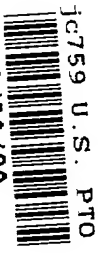


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application Of: § Attorney Docket No. P-109009(Reissue)
Albert Charles McNamara §
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Patent No. 5,901,641 § Group Art Unit: _____
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Issued: May 11, 1999 § Examiner: _____
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Title: Baffle for Deep Fryer Heat Exchanger §
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BOX REISSUE
Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

REISSUE APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is the application for reissue of U.S.

☒ Utility Patent ☐ Plant Patent ☐ Design Patent
No. 5,901,641, issued on May 11, 1999

Inventor(s): Albert Charles McNamara
Title: Baffle For Deep Fryer Heat Exchanger

Enclosed are the following:

1. Specification, claim(s) and drawing(s) (37 C.F.R. § 1.173)
 - (a) ☒ 3 page(s) of specification
☒ 2 page(s) of claims
☒ 1 page(s) of abstract
 - (b) ☒ 6 sheet(s) of drawing (drawings amended)
☐ Formal
☒ Informal
- ☐ No changes in the drawings, upon which the original patent was issued, are to be made. Therefore in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.174(a), please find attached, in the size required for original drawings:
☐ A copy of the printed drawings of the patent.
☐ A photoprint of the original drawings.
☐ A letter requesting transfer of the drawings from the original patent file to this reissue application attached.

2. Declaration and power of attorney

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☒ 4 pages of declaration and power of attorney

3. Preliminary amendment

(check, if applicable)

☒ Attached.

☒ The claims are amended and there is attached a separate statement as to the status of the claims and an explanation of the support in the specification for the changes in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.173(c).

4. Offer to surrender the original letters patent in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.178 is attached.

☒ Offer to surrender is by the inventor,

☒ along with assent of assignee.

☐ Offer to surrender is by the assignee of the entire interest (an the reissue application does not seek to enlarge the claims of the original patent).

5. Letters patent

☐ Original letters patent are attached.

☐ Declaration that original letters patent lost or inaccessible is attached.

☒ A copy of the original printed patent is attached.

6. Petition to proceed without assignee's assent

☐ Attached hereto is a "PETITION TO PROCEED WITH REISSUE APPLICATION WITHOUT ASSIGNEE'S ASSENT".

A. ☐ The fee payment is authorized in the attached:

☐ "REISSUE APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL" Form

☐ "COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS --- REISSUE APPLICATION" Form

B. ☐ Payment is authorized below.

7. Information Disclosure Statement.

☒ Attached.

☒ Copies of the IDS citation(s) is/are attached.

8. Priority - 35 U.S.C. § 119

☐ Priority of application, Application No. 0 / _____, filed on _____, in _____ (Country) is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119.

☐ The certified copy has been filed in prior application, Application No. 0 / _____, filed on _____.

9. Declaration of Albert Charles McNamara under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132.

☒ Attached.

10. Basic Filing Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(h), (i) and (j))

CLAIMS AS FILED					
Number filed	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee (37 C.F.R. 1.16(h)) \$740.00		
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(j))	39 - 25 (and also in excess of total claims in patent) 14	X \$18.00	\$252.00		
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(j))	7 - 3 (number of independent claims in patent) 4	X \$84.00	\$336.00		
Filing Fee Calculation			\$1,328.00		

NOTE: Multiple dependent claims are treated as ordinary claims for fee purposes. 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(j).

11. Small Entity Status (if applicable)

- ☐ An assertion that this filing is by a small entity is attached.
☒ Assertion of small entity status is being made by paying the small entity basic filing fee.

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12. Additional Fee Payments

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13. Total Fees Due

Filing Fee	\$ <u>664.00</u>
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Total Fees Due	\$ <u>664.00</u>

14. Fee Payment

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